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Congregation Tifereth Beth David Jerusalem wishes everyone a Shana Tova Umetuka!

May it be a year filled with happiness and health, and peace for all of Israel and the Jewish People.

Thank you to all our clergy, staff members, volunteers, donors, gabba'im, ba'alei tefilla, directors, committee chairs and committee members who have contributed to creating our High Holiday Services and Programs!

Friday, September 15 / 29 Elul 5783

Erev Rosh Hashanah

- 5:15am Selichot "Zechor Brit"
- 7:00am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 6:48pm Candle Lighting
- 6:50pm Mincha and Kabbalat Shabbat - Main Sanctuary
- 7:06pm Sh'kiah

Shabbat, September 16 / 1 Tishrei 5784

Rosh Hashanah - Day One

- 8:00am Shacharit - Hashkama Minyan
- 8:15am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 8:30am Shacharit - Parallel Service
- 9:30am Kef Club Rosh Hashana Programs for Kids
- 10:20am Rabbi's Sermon - Main Sanctuary
- 6:30pm **Mincha, Shiur with Rabbi Claman and Maariv - Main Sanctuary (no Seudah Shleesheet in shul)**
Shiur Title: *The Unique Halacha, History and Controversy of Not Blowing the Shofar on Shabbat*
- 7:04pm Sh'kiah
- 7:49pm candles can be lit after this time

Sunday, September 17 / 2 Tishrei 5784

Rosh Hashanah - Day Two

- 8:00am Shacharit - Hashkama Minyan
- 8:15am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 8:30am Shacharit - Parallel Service
- 9:30am Kef Club Rosh Hashana Programs for Kids
- 10:20am Rabbi's Sermon followed by Tekiyat Shofar - Main Sanctuary
- 11:00am **Speech by Paul Hirschson, Consul General for Israel in Montreal - see biography on Page Two**
- 5:00pm Tashlich at McDowell Park - 5580 Randall
- 6:30pm Mincha, Shiurim and Maariv - Main Sanctuary
Shiurim and Divrei Torah taught by members of Kollel Torah MiTzion
- 7:47pm Havdala

Monday, September 18 / 3 Tishrei 5784

Tsom Gedalia

- 5:18am fast begins
- 6:10am Selichot - Main Sanctuary
- 6:50am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 6:25pm Mincha/Maariv - Main Sanctuary
- 7:29pm fast ends

Tuesday, September 19 / 4 Tishrei 5784

- 6:25am Selichot - Main Sanctuary
- 7:00am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 6:40pm Mincha/Maariv - Main Sanctuary
- 8:00pm **Eitan Katz Concert - Hachana L'Yom Yippur**
Tickets available at tbdj.org/EitanKatz5784

Wednesday, September 20 / 5 Tishrei 5784

- 6:25am Selichot - Main Sanctuary
- 7:00am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 6:40pm Mincha/Maariv - Main Sanctuary

Thursday, September 21 / 6 Tishrei 5784

- 6:15am Selichot - Main Sanctuary
- 6:50am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 6:40pm Mincha/Maariv - Main Sanctuary

Friday, September 22 / 7 Tishrei 5784

- 6:25am Selichot - Main Sanctuary
- 7:00am Shacharit - Main Sanctuary
- 6:30pm Mincha et Kabbalat Shabbat - Minyane Sépharade - Lower Level Chapel
- 6:34pm Candle Lighting
- 6:35pm Mincha and Kabbalat Shabbat - Main Sanctuary
- 6:53pm Sh'kiah

Rosh Hashanah Day Two
Sunday, September 17 at 11:00am in the Main Sanctuary
TBDJ Welcomes Special Guest
Paul Hirschson, Consul General for Israel



Paul Hirschson grew up in Johannesburg. He holds bachelor degrees in accounting and law, and a master's degree in business. After immigrating to Israel, Paul served in the IDF then worked in the public sector, relocating to England for three years. On his return to Israel, he entered Israel's hi-tech industry, and in the next ten years, he developed successful relations in Arab countries and later in Europe, Africa and beyond. In 2004, Paul joined the Foreign Ministry, becoming Israel's first diplomat posted to the United Arab Emirates, 15 years before the ties became public. In 2008, he took up a foreign ministry posting in the USA. Three years later, Paul returned home to Israel where he served as a spokesperson in the Foreign Ministry for four years. In 2015, he was appointed Israel's Ambassador to Senegal and five other countries in West Africa. He ran the Israeli embassy in Dakar until returning to Israel in late 2018. In 2019, Ambassador Hirschson took on responsibility for relations with the Caribbean Community. In 2021, he was appointed Consul General to Quebec and Atlantic Canada.

When not out walking, Paul spends his time speaking on his cell phone and drinking coffee. Paul can be followed on twitter: @paulhirschson.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Mazal Tov to **Jessica & Jordan Rubin** and their family on the birth of a son on Wednesday, September 13. Sharing in their simcha are big sisters Emmy, Lexi and Millie, grandparents Monique & Roger Dayan and Carole Gross and Murray Rubin, great-grandparents Sylvia Gross, Sandra Schneider and Ruth & Sam Rubin and many delighted aunts, uncles and cousins.

Mazal Tov to **Irwin Cotler** on being awarded Israel's *Presidential Medal of Honor* on Wednesday, September 6 at the residence of President Isaac Herzog in Yerushalayim.

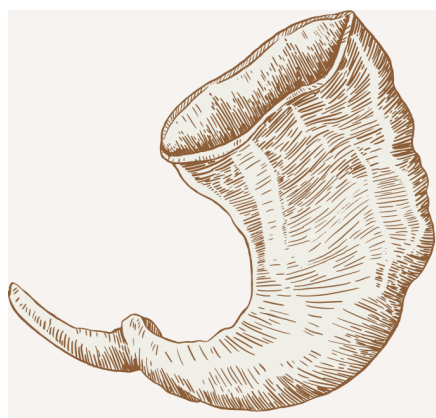
Condolences to **Michael Mashaal & Marla Cohen** and their family on the loss of Michael's beloved grandmother Violet Cohen Shahin z"l who passed away on Wednesday, September 13. Wife of the late Naji Shahin z"l. Funeral took place on Thursday, September 14. Shiva continues until 1:00pm on Friday, September 15 at 10 Devon in Westmount.

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This Rosh Hashana Bulletin is sponsored by **Eva & Abe Ludvig** and by **Rivka & Alex Guttman** in memory of Eva and Alex's beloved mother Etel Guttman z"l (Esther bat Tzvi Menachem HaKohen - 3 Tishrei).



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Wednesday, September 27 from 6:30pm to
9:00pm.



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VEN 15 SEP 2023

ROSH HASHANA

VEILLE DE ROSH HASHANA

Vendredi 15 septembre

Minha : 18h15
Bougies : 18h47
Arvit : 18h50

JOUR 1 DE ROSH HACHANA

Samedi 16 septembre

Shahrit : 8h00
Torah : 10h00 Moussaf 11h00
Minha : 18h30 suivi de de Tashlikh
Arvit : 19h35 Bougies après : 19h49

JOUR 2 DE ROSH HASHANA

Dimanche 17 septembre

Shahrit : 8h00
Torah : 9h30
Shofar : 10h45 & 18h00
Minha : 18h30
Arvit : 19h40 Havdala 19h47

JEÛNE DE GÉDALIA & SHABBAT SHOUVA

JEÛNE DE GUÉDALIA

Lundi 18 septembre

Début du jeûne: 5h07
Fin: 19h36

SHABBAT SHOUVA

Vendredi 22 septembre

Minha : 18h30
Bougies : 18h34
Arvit : 18h55

SHABBAT SHOUVA

Samedi 23 septembre

Shahrit : 9h00
Minha : 18h30
Arvit : 19h30
Havdala : 19h40

VEN 29 SEP 2023

SOUKKOT

VEILLE DE SOUCCOT

Vendredi 29 septembre

Minha : 18h00
Bougies : 18h20
Arvit : 18h45

DIM 24 SEP 2023

YOM KIPPOUR

VEILLE YOM KIPPOUR

Dimanche 24 septembre

Minha : 14h00
Kol Nidrei : 18h30
Bougies : 18h30

YOM KIPPOUR

Lundi 25 septembre

Shahrit : 8h30
Torah : 11h00
Minha : 16h30
Néila + Arvit : 18h30
Havdala après 19h37

JOUR 1 DE SOUCCOT

Samedi 30 septembre

Shahrit : 9h00
Minha : 17h45
Bougies après : 19h27

JOUR 2 DE SOUCCOT

Dimanche 1 octobre

Shahrit : 9h00
Minha : 17h45
Havdala: 19h25

HOSHANA RABA

Jeudi 5 octobre

Veillée Kraya - à venir

SHEMINI ATSERET

Vendredi 6 octobre

Minha : 17h45
Bougies : 18h07
Arvit : 18h30

Samedi 7 octobre

Shahrit : 9h00
Minha : 18:30

SIMHAT TORAH

Samedi 7 octobre

Bougies après : 19h14
Arvit + Hakafot : 18h45

Dimanche 8 octobre

Shahrit : 9h00
Minha : 17h30
Havdala: 19h12

DIM 8 OCT 2023

REPAS COMMUNAUTAIRE DE SIMHAT TORAH

Samedi 7 octobre

Pour toute la famille
Après Shahrit : 13:00

Détails à venir
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ROSH HASHANA YOUTH PROGRAMMING!

*Join us for fun and interactive programs
during Rosh Hashana services on
September 16th-17th!*

Fun activities with:



10am-1pm

In kids' Tent

Tefilla and Rosh
Hashana themed
games at:



10:15-11am Grades 1-3

12:15-1pm Grades 4-6

In Kef Club's Main Room

Free play, Story
time and Song for
young children and
toddlers



9:30am-1:00pm

In Kef Club's Toddlers
Room

11:30-12:00- KIDS' KIDDUSH IN KEF CLUB ROOM

**1:00pm
Raffle!!**

*Shana Tova!
See You There!*

19
SEPT
8PM

Hachana l'Yom Kippur

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Let Us Have a "Feel-Good" Year

In next week's Torah portion of Parashat Haazinu, we will read about a trying moment for Moshe Rabeinu. On the last day of his life Hashem instructs him to ascend to the summit of mount Nevo, from where he will see the Promised Land before his passing on the mountain. Hashem's words ring loud and clear: *For from afar, you will see the land, but you will not come there, to the land I am giving the children of Israel* (Devarim 32:52).

It is a difficult narrative to read. Moshe goes up the mountain and he sees Israel. Our revered leader gets to see the country, but not to go there. If there is a comforting measure, it is that Moshe merited to see that his beloved Bnei Yisrael were going to הארץ הטובה - the good land that Hashem promised them. We know how much Moshe loved his nation and we can imagine that knowing that following his passing his people would flourish in the promised land flowing with milk and honey gave him peace of mind. The Ramban says the following in his commentary to Devarim 34:1 –

וטעם המראה הזאת אשר הראהו בעבור שהיתה הארץ מלאה כל טוב, צבי לכל הארצות, ומאשר היה גלוי לפניו רוב האהבה שהיה משה רבינו אוהב את ישראל, שמחו ברבות הטובה בראות עיניו

The reason for [G-d] showing [Moshe Rabeinu the land] because the land was filled with all that was good and pleasurable than all other lands, and being that it was known before Him [i.e. G-d] that Moshe Rabeinu loved [the people of] Israel, he would be happy with seeing the great good [which G-d would be giving to the people of Israel] with his own eyes

Source provided by Sefaria.org

As he was about to depart the world, Hashem gave Moshe, in modern terminology, a feel-good moment, a moment of empathy, love, of sharing something that Moshe the recipient could appreciate, albeit under challenging circumstances, as he was about to depart the world.

Feel-good moments are inspiring, and the tone of these moments is powerful. They give us energy and they give us incentive. These moments can contribute to game changing in people's days and - I dare say - at significant intervals, their lives. I had to merit to start my week off with a feel-good moment. I was at the Sunday morning minyan, and I opened a sefer that I keep at my place in shul called the *Divrei Yitzchak* from Rabbi Isaac of Munkatsch. In the book I opened to item #38 - ל"ח and read the following:

שמעתי בשם הרב הקדוש מ' מאיר מפרמישלאן זללה"ה שאמר שמי שרוצה שיהיה לו יראת שמים באמת ילך על ציון של קבר ר' אלימלך ממליץ'ענסק ויתפלל שם ויעשו דבריו פירות

I heard in the name of the holy Rabbi Meir of Premishlan z"l who said that anyone who wants to enhance his fear of heaven should go to pray at the tomb marking the resting place of Rabbi Elimelech of Lizensk and his words will bear fruit...

As I finished reading this idea, I realized that there were two brothers at the minyan whose late father came from Lizensk. I knew that they would appreciate this thought and following davening I shared it with them. What I overlooked was, that not only was there a family connection to Lizensk, but the brothers also pointed to a connection to Premishlan, as well, where their mother was born. This thought related to יראת שמים - *fear of heaven* connected the family to their roots on both sides of the family. Later that day one of the brothers enthusiastically approached me with gratitude for sharing Rabbi Meir's thought with him. Certainly, a feel-good moment.

There is a lot in our world to feel good about. My occupation at TBDJ and my musical directorships in the Jewish day schools of the city produce many feel-good moments which are a source of personal satisfaction and content to myself, but more importantly – to others. On the school side, there are precious moments and anecdotal jewels from the students which I make a point to share with their parents, in person, by text or with a phone call. I find, that in my classes, children tend to shine in special ways which reflect on their upbringing at home. My feel-good moment is being able to give the parents a feel-good moment by informing them about their children's positive participation.

While there is a lot to feel good about ourselves as individuals in our Jewish world with our dedication and devotion to the commandments between us and Hashem - מצוות בין אדם למקום, I like to think that the real feel-good moments come with a special flavour of Yiddishkeit where and when we feel good and care about others - מצוות בין אדם לחבירו - when we observe the commandments which prescribe positive behavior with our peers and when we have a chance to assist those around us. This is something that we can learn from the Ramban's commentary on Moshe Rabeinu. Even as Moshe was about to leave the world - and I'm sure there were many things on his mind at that moment - he was unselfishly happy for and thought about his people. I am not sure that there is anything that can equal that immense gesture.

As we enter this High Holiday season, we will pray from our machzorim, in which there are many prayers. The High Holidays aren't limited to praying for our own personal needs. A sizeable amount of our prayers is in plural as well. The High Holidays are also about praying for those around us, for other individuals who need prayers, and for our community, Israel and more. Praying for others, caring for others, and performing mitzvot that will benefit others produce feel-good moments.

Let us all pledge, as individuals and as the TBDJ and Montreal community, to multiply our feel-good moments over the next year of 5784 with the goal of reaching a feel-good year for all of us, for Klal Yisrael.

Shana Tova and Shabbat Shalom,

Rev. Amiel



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גרויסער עירוב פון מאנטריאל

C'est avec une grande joie, et avec l'aide d' Hachem, que nous annonçons qu'un projet majeur est en cours réunissant les communautés Chassidiques, Ashkénazes et Séfarades de Montréal pour la construction et l'entretien d'un Eruv amélioré et élargi. (Pour l'instant, le statut de chaque Eruv reste le même.) Les limites de cet Eruv, que nous espérons rendre publique prochainement, seront construites selon les normes halakhiques satisfaisant l'ensemble des communautés, afin que chaque Juif soit à l'aise d'en faire usage en tout temps, sans exception. Surveillez bientôt les détails de cette avancée historique dans l'Unité de notre communauté.

It is with great joy, and thanks to Hashem, that we announce a major project is underway bringing together the Chasidic, Ashkenazi and Sephardi communities of Montreal for the construction and maintenance of an enhanced and enlarged Eruv. (For now, the status of each Eruv remains the same.) The boundaries of this Eruv, which we hope to publicize soon, will be constructed according to the Halachic standards that satisfy all the communities, so that every Jew will be comfortable carrying in any part of it, without exception. Please watch for details soon about this historic advance in the *Achdut* of our community.

מיט גרויס פרייד, און א דאנק השם, מעלדן מיר אן אז עס גייט אונטער א גרויסע פראיעקט, וואס ברענגט צוזאמענגעברענגט די חסידישע, חב"ד, אשכנזישע און ספרדיע קהילות פון מאנטריאל פארן אויפבויע און אויפהאלטן א פארגרעסערטן און פארגרעסערטן עירוב. (דערווייל בלייבט דער סטאטוס פון יעדן עירוב דער זעלבער.) די גרענעצן פון דעם עירוב, וואס מיר האפן באלד ארויסצוברענגען, וועלן געבויט ווערן לויט די העכסטע הלכה סטאנדארדס פון אלע פיר קהילות, כדי יעדער איד זאל זיין באקוועם אריינצוטראגן. קיין טייל פון עס, אן ויסנעם. ביטע היטן פאר פרטים באַלד וועגן דעם היסטארישן שטייגן אין דער אַחדות פון אונדזער קהילה.

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דברי ברכה

25 Elul 5783

To whom it may concern.

I wish to offer my words of encouragement to the *Askanim* who are working tirelessly to arrange an *Eiruv* in the various neighborhoods of Montreal. Having a proper *Eiruv* in place is of paramount importance to enhance the *Shemiras Shabbos* of the whole community.

May *Hashem* grant them success in the speedy completion of this all important endeavor.

בכבוד ובתוקרה
Rabbi Benjamin Weiss
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Montréal le, 26 Élouf 5783 – 6 septembre 2023

À qui de droit,

De toute évidence, le projet de Grand Érouv de Montréal retient toute notre attention car il est très essentiel. Cependant en ce qui concerne les *séfarades* il est conseillé de s'en rétenir à un Rabbin qui indiquera les limites à respecter.

Ceci étant, je voudrais exprimer mes encouragements les plus ardents et tous nos vœux de voir tous vos efforts couronnés de succès.

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Stay tuned for more information and an official launch after the Holidays!

Restez à l'écoute pour plus d'informations et le lancement officiel après les Chagim!